



1       **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the following dates shall govern discovery:

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| 2 | 1.     Discovery cutoff                           | <b>June 17, 2015</b>  |
| 3 | 2.     Motions to amend pleadings and add parties | <b>March 19, 2015</b> |
| 4 | 3.     Expert designations                        | <b>April 20, 2015</b> |
| 5 | 4.     Rebuttal expert designations               | <b>May 18, 2015</b>   |
| 6 | 5.     Interim status report                      | <b>April 20, 2015</b> |
| 7 | 6.     Dispositive motions                        | <b>July 17, 2015</b>  |

8       **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that any extension of the discovery deadline will not be  
 9 allowed without a showing of **good cause** as to why all discovery was not completed within the time  
 10 allotted. All motions or stipulations to extend discovery shall be received by the Court at least  
 11 **twenty-one (21) days** prior to the date fixed for completion of discovery, at least **twenty-one (21)**  
 12 **days** prior to the expiration of any extension thereof that may have been approved by the Court, or  
 13 at least **twenty-one (21) days** prior to the expiration of the subject deadline. Any extension or  
 14 modification of a discovery deadline or subject deadline not filed at least twenty-one (21) days prior  
 15 to the date fixed for completion of discovery or the expiration of the subject deadline must be  
 16 supported by a showing that the failure to act was the result of **excusable neglect**. The motion or  
 17 stipulation shall include:

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| 18 | 1.     A statement specifying the discovery completed by the parties as of the date of |
| 19 | the motion or stipulation;                                                             |
| 20 | 2.     A specific description of the discovery which remains to be completed;          |
| 21 | 3.     The reasons why such remaining discovery was not completed within the           |
| 22 | time limit of the existing discovery deadline; and                                     |
| 23 | 4.     A proposed schedule for the completion of all remaining discovery.              |

24       It is not good cause for a later request to extend discovery that the parties informally  
 25 postponed discovery. No stipulations are effective until approved by the Court, and “[a]ny  
 26 stipulation that would interfere with any time set for completion of discovery, for hearing of a  
 27 motion, or for trial, may be made only with approval of the Court.” See LR 7-1(b).

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DATED: December 19, 2014

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